IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
	Michael T. Carley, et al.)
Serial No.:	10/667,144) Art Unit
Filed:	September 19, 2003) 3734
Conf. No.:	7207)
For:	CLOSURE DEVICE AND METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING THEM)))
Examiner:	Lindsey Michele Bachman)
Customer No.:	57360)

AMENDMENT "C" AND RESPONSE TO FINAL

VIA *e*FILE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of November 19, 2007 (paper no. 20071010), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.